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Tour choir heading for Puerto Rico

While many Lyscoming College students are spending their spring break on the Florida beaches, the tour choir will be spending part of its break a little farther south--in Puerto Rico.

The choir will cap a 10-day tour with a five-day stay in Puerto Rico. It will leave New York City on March 5 after performing in Bedford, Pa., Cranford, N. J., Long Island, N. Y., and Burlington, Conn. The entire trip will run from Feb. 29 to March 9.

Directed by Dr. Fred M. Thayer, an assistant professor of music, the 37-member choir will perform four concerts in two cities. It will perform twice at the Universidad Interamericana de Puerto Rico in Arecibo and once each at El Calvario Methodist Church in Arecibo and La Universidad

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Row 1 (left to right): Julie Mitchell, Diane Merrill, Jane Sortor, Laurie Lether, Jayne Heller, Deb Suples, Deb Gehres, Beth Johnson, Lynn Hackman, Sue Huff, Janet Bryant.
Row 2 (left to right): Ginny Stoddard, Tammy Woodard, Jewel Copenhaver, Lynne Tomlinson, Cindy Bell, Mary Fran Liver, Gioia Hellins, Becky Sweet, Chris Dinsmore, Nadine Firsching, Cathy Gregory.
Row 3 (left to right): Jorge Gonzalez, Steve Schultz, Steve Gold, Steve Potter, Ron Frick, Todd Penman, Ricky Ryerson, Al Stoner.
Row 4 (left to right): Tim Huff, Chuck Persing, Brian Birth, Dan Poukides, Iaci Coapman, Chris Rader, Greg Leb.

College to receive \$100,000 under terms of will

A \$100,000 bequest under terms of the will of the late Joseph A. Williams, of St. Mary's, Pa., has been made to Lyscoming College. It is the third largest gift ever made to the college.

Williams, the former president of St. Marys Sewer Pipe and Clay Products Companies, died on Dec. 7, 1979 at the age of 103. Under terms of his will, the bequest was made to honor his mother, Mary Ellen Whitehead Williams.

Williams arranged to bequeath \$100,000 to the college quite a few years ago, according to George P. Flint, director of institutional relations. At that time, he visited the campus and expressed a desire to have a dormitory renamed after his mother. It was agreed then that for such a gift an appropriate memorial could be erected or constructed on campus.

Although it has not yet been decided which dormitory might be renamed after Mrs. Williams, Flint said, it will probably be North Hall--a favorite of Williams.

It also has not yet been decided for what purpose to use the money, Flint said. A decision won't be made until the college receives it, which won't occur until after the will clears probate--a process that could take six months to a year.

Using the money to help defray the building costs of the new Physical Education and Recreation Center is a possibility, Flint said. Its ultimate use will be determined by the president and the board of trustees.

Health institute director visits campus

Dr. Robert I. Levy, director of the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute of the National Institute of Health in Washington, visited the college Jan. 7 to help lay a foundation for the Community Health Improvement Project (CHIP).

CHIP, which was launched on campus Feb. 4, is a demonstration project designed to reduce heart disease, stroke and other cardiovascular diseases in Lyscoming County through preventive-medicine techniques. Lyscoming College's new Institute of Community Health is the home base for the project.

Dr. Levy's visit was highlighted by a lecture he gave on "The Control of Heart Disease in the U. S." and by a dinner with representatives of CHIP in the private dining room. He also answered questions at a press

conference held in the Long Administration Building.

Dr. Levy has been director of the institute since 1975 and connected with it since 1963. In his post, he is responsible for the funding of most of the heart research in the U. S.

He holds a medical degree from Yale University and a B.S. from Cornell University. From 1961-63, he was on the Yale-New Haven Medical Center staff.

The 42-year-old physician also is chairman of the National High Blood Pressure Education Coordinating Committee of NIH and a member of the World Health Organization (WHO) advisory committee. He has been the recipient of numerous awards in the field of heart research.



DR. ROBERT I. LEVY

President's Corner

Knowing Others by the Songs in Their Souls

"Listen, they're playing our song!"

An expression of excitement erased the crow's feet at the corners of her eyes and together two grandparents were carried away on the strains of a melody which for decades had bound their lives together. Songs echo the deepest aspirations of the human spirit. They resonate with tones which make us who we are.

Without becoming mired in a debate about censorship or whether society can be corrupted by decadent music, we can surely agree that some music is better than others, that some songs more effectively bring authentic humanity to expression than others. Please excuse the double entendre, but does it not follow that some songs become us more than others?

As I watch my sons grow, I am increasingly aware that they do not see me as I see myself. It is almost alarming to hear their accounts of some incident back when old dad did this and so. Commonplace events have a way of assuming heroic proportions in the eyes of one's children. The opposite also happens. Commonplace failures have a way of assuming tragic proportions if



Andrew S. Blumberg

basic expectations are severely bruised. Both adoration and disillusionment color facts to the point of distortion.

How then are we ever to know each other as we really are? Our self-descriptions are notoriously unreliable. Our perceptions of each other are too often equally skewed. Could it be that we see most clearly into the depths of those we love as we listen for the songs which

echo in their souls? Even if we march to different drummers, this is so. Thank goodness the tempo of life is not the question! The real issue is the tune, the counterpoint of human existence which resonates to infect those around us.

How do you describe to yourself those you love? Your spouse, for example? If restricted to a single phrase, I'd have to choose a melody, a hymn, a measure of music. Otherwise, I would never cut through all the idealized larger-than-life images, all the flaws and disappointments which when remembered render her unreal and deprive her of her true humanity. She is really none of those, more than all of those. To describe her well, I would have to tell you of the melodies she has sung her life to.

How can we appropriately describe those we love? They are all infinitely more complex and profound than you realize, you know. Each sings life to different melodies. The reality to be described is the counterpoint of human existence which resonates to infect those around us.

"I hear you, man."

"Do you really?"

"Of course I do! It's Valentine's Day and they're playing our song again!"

Tour choir (Continued)

Methodist Church in San Juan. One of the university concerts will provide music for the dedication of its new campus.

Choir member Jorge Gonzalez, a native of Arecibo, was instrumental in arranging the spring tour. As a high school exchange student, he came to the U. S. at age 16 to complete his education. The senior biology and music major is a four-year choir member.

Since the choir will be encountering a different culture, Dr. Thayer is inserting several Spanish pieces into the program, most of them folk songs. It goes without saying that the director and the choir have been busy preparing for the trip for months.

"We are really looking forward to it," Dr. Thayer said. "The morale of the choir is especially good, the group is close knit and is working hard to make this a fine choir. The responsibility of taking the good will of Lycoming College and Williamsport into Puerto Rico is both challenging and exciting."

To help meet the cost of the trip, the students have been selling candy and seeking patrons. The choir also held an all-night volleyball marathon last fall to raise money.

Years ago it was good advice to "pay as you go." But if you do that today you may not have enough to get back home.

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Auction '80 raises \$1,300 for college fund

More than \$1,300 was raised for the College Enrichment Fund at Auction '80, this year's annual fund-raising event of the Women of Lycoming College. The event was held in the cafeteria of the Wertz Student Center.

Some of the more imaginative items or services put up for bid included a canoe trip for 10 persons; a Polish dinner for two; juggling, magic and hula lessons; a jogging companion for a week; several pies-in-the-face, and Dracula's cape.

Some of the more practical items included a gallon of home made ice cream, numerous dinners, cakes and other desserts, several plants, a house cleaning, three car washes and several term papers typed.

In all, 79 items or services were put up for sale by faculty members who served as auctioneers.

The enrichment fund is used to help finance cultural or artistic events or projects on campus that benefit the largest number of students.

Award donations sought

The English department is seeking donations for the Dan Gustafson Award to be inaugurated this spring.

The \$100 award will be given to the senior English major whose analytical writing demonstrates the highest qualities of literary and critical excellence, according to Dave Rife, an associate professor of English. It is being established as a memorial to Dan Gustafson, a former member of the English department who died last summer.

The award will be made at the annual honors convocation April 8 in Clarke Chapel.

Campus Notes

GARY DARTT, a member of the theatre arts department, conducted two workshops at the Region II American College Theatre Festival held at the Pennsylvania State University Jan. 23-27. The workshops were titled, "Recent Puppetry," and "A Decade of Scene Design for the Intimate Theatre."

ROBERT FALK, chairman of the theatre arts department, hosted the American College Theatre Festival at Penn State. He is co-chairman of Region II, which includes Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland and Washington D. C. The festival included plays, workshops, special programs and lectures. Falk also served as an adjudicator at another regional festival held at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro Jan. 30-Feb. 3.

THOMAS HENNINGER, director of computer services, spoke at the Marriott Hotel in Philadelphia Jan. 24 at the invitation of Digital Equipment Corporation. He discussed the current uses of the college's PDP 11/70 computer system as well as the word processor.

DAVID RIFE, a member of the English department, has been informed that his article, "Hamilton Wright Mabie to R. W. Emerson: An Unpublished Letter and a Debt of Influence," is being published in the current edition of *The American Transcendental Quarterly*.

STAN WILK, a member of the anthropology/sociology department, will have a critique of the book, *Dispute and Settlement to Rural Turkey* by June Starr, published in the next issue of the *American Legal Studies Association Forum*.

Faculty helping freshmen adjust to campus life

Freshmen students who have difficulty adjusting to campus life sometimes end up as drop-outs. It is for those potential drop-outs at Lycoming College that a new Faculty Associates Program has been designed.

"Freshmen often have an inability to relate to or fit in with some kind of group," said Lou Anne Caligiuri, assistant dean of student services and coordinator of the program. The associates program originated with "the intent to give freshmen students someone else to identify with and to know the teacher outside of the classroom," she said.

An associate is a member of the faculty who is willing to spend some time visiting and chatting with freshmen in the dormitories. Eleven faculty members served as associates during the fall semester. Their participation gave them excellent opportunities to establish informal, out-of-classroom ties with students. Those ties are expected to further cut Lycoming's already low attrition rate.

"We now have fewer incoming students to draw from," Dean Caligiuri said, "so we want the attrition rate to be as low as possible."

The flexible program allows faculty members to act in any way they want—as personal counselors, academic advisers, or friends.

"These students need someone to talk with on an informal basis," said Dr. Dan King, an assistant professor of biology and an associate. "They need to feel like a part of the system as well as comfortable with it."

"They are away from home for the first time and there are big adjustments to make," said Dr. Catherine Studier, an assistant professor of education. "They need an adult to talk to."

Dr. Studier was a bit unsure about her role as an associate at first, especially because she was assigned to an all-male floor.



Faculty associate Dr. Catherine Studier and freshman Michael A. Giannattasio

"I wondered if they would accept me," she said.

She became "one of the guys" and gained their confidence by watching a few Monday Night Football games with them. That helped to break down the barrier and make it easier for her to talk with them about conflicts or problems.

Dr. Fred Grogan, as assistant professor of political science, sees himself more as a "resource person." "There is frequently a need for expansion of counseling service," he said. "I can serve to direct students to professional counseling, to try to find out what can help them and what is available to them."

Dr. Edward Gabriel, an assistant professor of biology, feels the program has helped give the faculty a different perspective on campus life. "We tend to forget the extent to which dorm life affects a student's success," he said. "We forget how much confusion is going on up there, and how it could be difficult for a student to get a good start academically."

The program is being kept under constant evaluation, Dean Caligiuri said. It will continue for at least another year. The associates may eventually become freshman academic advisers, she added.

"This is another attempt to show that we do care about our students," Dean Caligiuri said.

Alumnus, wife return to perform in McIver recital series

Jay N. Stenger, M., one of the best-known vocalists and choir directors in the East, returned to the campus on Jan. 29 with his wife, Barbara, a well-known vocalist in her own right, to present a recital in Clarke Chapel. It was the third presentation in the Walter G. McIver Recital Series,

which honors the former choir director at the college.

The Stengers have been performing together since 1973. He is professor of voice, organ and piano at Shepherd College in Shepherdstown, W. Va. She is a voice teacher at their home in Shepherdstown.

Stenger is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin Stenger, of Williamsport. As a Williamsport native, he is well-known in the area, having taught music at Roosevelt Junior High School, serving as director and organist for the Williamsport Civic Choir, and as minister of music and organist at several Williamsport churches. He currently is choir master at Trinity Episcopal Church in Martinsburg, W. Va. and director of the Master Works Chorale in Shepherdstown.

Stenger holds a master's degree in music education from the State University of New York at Fredonia. He also studied under Walter McIver and sang with the famed Robert Shaw Chorale.

Mrs. Stenger also has sung with the Robert Shaw Chorale as well as with Pablo Casals, and has toured extensively in the East and Midwest.

She studied voice at Marshall University, Baldwin-Wallace Conservatory and with Doris Jung of the New York City Opera.

At the recital, Mrs. Stenger was accompanied by her husband on the piano. He also played two piano solos in a program that included music "From Op to Pop."



BARBARA AND JAY N. STENGER

CLASS news

Edited by DALE V. BOWEN '59

1977

DAVID S. MACVAIL presented three papers and two workshops on his own book and on his new book designation in 1978. He and his wife, Barbara, have three children.

1972

ARUE C. SHEPHERD has informed us that his father, Eli Shepherd, was one of the publishers of the book quoted in the January issue of the *Lycoming College Report*. The quote was confined to our "Out of the Past" section along with a picture.

1940

DOROTHY NIKK RIDGE lives at South Mountain, PA. She is nursing supervisor, employed by the Commonwealth of PA.

1951

NANCY NOAH SUCCOFF would like to return to the campus for Homecoming or Alumni Day, but states, "I wheelchair myself and I am not an activist." She is a MS victim and has been in a wheelchair for about three years. She would appreciate being written to help cure her physical disabilities who remember her. She says it would be a lot for her mother. Her address is 705 Church Lane, Pittsburgh, PA 15238. Her phone is 412-767-4370. She is a MS victim and has been in a wheelchair for about three years. She would appreciate being written to help cure her physical disabilities who remember her. She says it would be a lot for her mother. Her address is 705 Church Lane, Pittsburgh, PA 15238. Her phone is 412-767-4370. The Succoffs have two daughters and one son in college at Penn State and another son in seventh grade.

1954

CHARLES M. MITCHELL, his wife, and JOSEPH MOGIL, III, and his wife, attended the New York Giants-Dallas Cowboys football game in Glenside Stadium. Charlie and Bud were former roommates and fraternity brothers (KDR) at Lycoming College in Reading, CT, and Bud lives in Springfield, IL.

1955

THOMAS D. MITTLER, former Director of Finance and Personnel in Wilkes-Barre, PA, has been a job as City Administrator for Wooner, OH. T. M. is married to the former DONNA ERTL '54.

1957

DON STILINA was elected a Cameron County Commissioner on January 7, 1980. He has been active in a number of civic activities including judicial committee, health care, recreation, nursing, Chamber of Commerce and was a director and past president of Emporium Rotary. "Luh" is employed by NCR Corporation and has 22 years of industrial experience in operational and financial administrative positions. He and his wife, Mary, have four children. They live in Emporium, PA.

1958

JANET HUNTER RINDER was graduated with high honors from The Pennsylvania State University on November 25, 1979. Jan earned her bachelor's degree in Industrial and Family studies with an emphasis on Adult Development and Aging. She intends to return to social work with the elderly which she did for five years before completing her college degree. Her husband, RICHARD '65, is chaplain at the United Methodist Home in Lewisburg.

1958

WILLIAM P. DeMUNO has been promoted to director of market planning at the home office of the Nationwide Insurance Co., Columbus, OH. Bill joined the firm in 1960. Since then he has served in sales and management positions at the home office, NY, Columbus and Harrisburg. Most recently, he was commercial manager.

1958

WILLIAM P. DeMUNO '58

ance sales manager for eastern Pennsylvania. He is a professional CPGU designation in 1978. He and his wife, Barbara, have three children.

1959

GEORGE D. GOLDEN was promoted to the position of Executive Vice President and Senior Trust Officer in the Trust Department of the Fidelity National Bank of PA, Williamsport. George is active in the community, serving on the executive committee of the Chamber of Commerce and on many committees of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association. He is treasurer of the Ross Club and a member of the finance committee of the Boy Scout Council. He also serves as secretary of the Loyalsock Township Authority.

ROBERT T. HART was recently appointed a partner in Rockett, Hoffer and Emery, a New York City and Westport-based executive consulting firm specializing in executive planning and development. Bob was director of college relations and counseling in New York for Arthur Young & Company and held human resource management positions with American Can Company and Stauffer Chemical Company. He was also an assistant dean of student personnel services at Rutgers University prior to entering industry. As a partner in the Westport office, his major assignments will be in human resources counseling.

JOHN JOE is currently the senior class advisor at Plymouth-Whitmarsh Senior High School. He teaches Spanish I-2-3, is assistant chairman of the language department and is the head wrestling coach at Montgomery County Community College. His daughter, Betsy, is a sophomore at Duquesne University in the school of pharmacy and his son, Cory, is a senior and wrestling team captain at Costelloe High School. He wrestles heavily and lost 187 lbs. Currently he has his own line and lost two matches. John and his wife, Edythe, live in Costelloe.

1960

JOHN and SYLVIA (SEAROSS '60) SACHETTE live at Hershey, PA. John is Vice President Sales Marketing with Pulse Home Corporation, a real estate firm. They and previously been living in Stone Mountain, GA.

1962

ROGER CONANT has been elected to senior vice president and investment officer with the Fidelity Union Trust Company in New York. Roger was recently appointed manager of the Bank Investment Advisory Department. Prior to joining Fidelity in October of 1975, he was associated with Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association. Roger resides in New York City.

1963

BRUCE A. McNALLY has been named production manager of the General Motors assembly plant in North Tarrytown, NY. Bruce earned his master's degree in business administration from the University of Wisconsin in Madison, WI. He is married to the former VIRGINIA GRABINSKI '62.

1964

LEE E. PURNELL and Peggy Hall were married at the Arizona Inn, Tucson, AZ, on November 10, 1979. Lee is a marketing representative for NRI, Inc., of Parnassus, NJ. Lee is a Boulder, Colorado based manufacturer of wood processing plants. Lee and Peggy are residing in Glen Rock, NJ.

1965

RICHARD and DIEN (WULF '66) SHUE live in Livingston, NJ. Dick is a mathematics teacher and Helen keeps busy with substitute teaching and church activities. Dick and Helen have two children. Their son, Ricky, is fifth grader and is especially gifted as a trumpet player.

BARRY F. BRADSHAW has been promoted to the position of superintendent of agencies and is employed by NCR Corporation, a computer company of Vermont. Barry is a registered representative of the National Association of Securities Dealers. He has addressed insurance companies, investment clubs and college classes on the topics of life insurance and estate planning. Barry and his wife, the former SUZANNE MACDONALD, are the parents of a son, Todd, age 11. They live in East Montpelier, VT.

DANN V. HALL is a cartographer with the Eastern Mapping Center, USGS, Reston, VA.

1967

SANDRA R. BUERER has been employed for the past year by the Norcross Times Herald daily newspaper. She is on the display advertising staff.

TERRANCE H. FREELY and Brenda Lynn Hamaker were married January 25, 1980, in Tallahassee, FL.

1968

DAVID W. PEARSON has been promoted to the position of commercial loan officer with the First National Bank of Pennsylvania. He had been assistant manager of the Meadville office. He and his wife, Barbara, and their two children reside in Cochranton.

JANE VASTINE is married to George Tessier. They live in Snellville, GA.

WILLIAM G. WATSON has been promoted to assistant vice president in the Fort Lee office of American Risk Management, Inc. In his new position, Bill is responsible for the development and servicing of new casualty business.

1969

KATHY E. MENGLE has been in Albuquerque, NM, for the past two years and has begun her own agency, KEM Literary Services. In addition to writing her own fiction, drama, poetry and book reviews, she has collaborated with two other people on both fiction and non-fiction projects. Kathy is very interested in holistic living and will welcome correspondence from interested persons who are interested. She can be reached at 900 Louisiana NE, #282C, Albuquerque, NM 87110.

JOE MIX lives in Oklahoma City where he is a buyer with John A. Brown Co. He is a member of All Soul's Church. Joe and his wife, Patsy, have two sons.

RALPH and JOAN PALMAQUIST TURNER regretted having to miss their tenth reunion, but they will miss the prospect of moving from West Virginia to Massachusetts. After completing his doctorate in psychology at Syracuse, Dr. joined the faculty at West Virginia University in 1973. While in Morgantown, Brian, who is now seven years of age, was joined by Rebecca, age five, and Russell, now two and a half years. Joe is currently in charge of the program in counseling and guidance and has finished all but his practicum. Doc has accepted a position as senior analyst with Alt Associates. As a social science research firm, and he is in the child and family area doing evaluation research and policy analysis. They are living in Acton, MA, and would very much like to hear from anyone who is planning to visit the Boston area.

1970

PHILIP L. BROWNE is the science department chairman in a private school, the Denvid School, in Manchester, NH. He said he appreciates more each year the educational and personality development he received at Lycoming.

BARRY C. HAMILTON has been promoted to banking officer at a private bank and is responsible for commercial lending to large corporations in Delaware, Chester and Montgomery counties. He has been with Girard since 1971.

The Class of 1970 would like to be planning a reunion on homecoming weekend. They are planning to meet on October 4, 1980. Anyone who is interested in helping with this reunion should please contact RALPH ZEIGLER, 350 Rural Avenue, Williamsport, PA 17701, or ILM SCOTT, 14 Coleman Road, Greeland, MA 01834.

ROBERT D. LANGLEY and ESTHER E. WILSHIRE '76 are married November 23, 1979, in the First Presbyterian Church, Williamsport. Bob and Esther are both employed by J. K. Rubel Furniture Company in Williamsport. They are now living in Louisville, NC.

RANDY LOEIGER has been appointed purchasing officer at The Fidelity Bank, Springfield, PA.

LYN SCHILLER-MOOREMANN is currently Director of Community Services at the Philadelphia Branch, Pennsylvania Association for the Blind. Lyn married a native German, Karl Moehrmann, just over a year ago. He is the best friend of another Lycoming alum, KLAUS BERGICH, who introduced them. She lives in Ridley Park, PA.

KENDRA SHUEY RUDL was appointed to the position of executive assistant to the Executive Coordinator. She is responsible for recruiting and hiring all Hershey-based seasonal employees, as well as coordinating all employee activities. She is also in charge of the committees for HERCO, most recently as Housekeeping Manager at Hotel Hershey. She and her husband, Henry, reside in Palmyra.

1972

RICK A. LEFFLEY has joined VMA-Atlantic Toyota Distributors, Inc. as manager of dealer development following his resignation at Chrysler Corporation's Los Angeles zone sales manager. He had been covering southern California, Arizona and the lower half of Nevada. Rick will supervise all recruitment, development and business relations for MAT's five statewide, 100-plus person group. Rick is in San Diego, CA.

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MARIE W. SHAW and Jean Wheaton were married September 15, 1979, at Voohtes Chapel, Douglas Lake, New Brunswick, NJ. John Wheaton was best man and JOE SONEK, MD, was the officiant. The bride is a lawyer, having completed her law work at the University of Toledo, College of Law. Bob and Jean are living in Mamaroneck, NY.

MARGARET E. VERBERG and Patrick John Dolan were married November 17, 1979, in the Bel Air United Methodist Church, Bel Air, MD. Margie was employed by the French and Spanish teacher in Bel Air High School, Harford County, MD. JAMES D. VERBERG '70 was officiant at their wedding. They are living in Bel Air.

1973

GAIL COLLETHLY SADUR lives in New York City. She is an analyst with Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company, 350 Park Avenue.

WILLIAM and SUSAN ANTHONY LEWIS announce the birth of their first child, Brian Sue, born September 25, 1979. They are living in the Allentown area where they run a business. Bill is currently employed in the insurance business. Bill is also employed full-time as an electrician in the coin-operated amusement industry.

BARRY and TERI (MACIAC '74) HENNINGER announced the birth of their first child, Elizabeth Dorothy, born November 21, 1979. Barry is currently co-owner of Prudential Printing, an assistant of Prudential Insurance in New Providence, NJ. Teri is currently working for the Social Security Administration to enjoy motherhood. They are living in Lake Hopatcong, NJ.

CHRISTOPHER T. SPADONI was named a St. Thomas assistant district attorney in the Montgomery County District Court in the practice of law in Bethlehem, PA, and is the Lower Mount Bethel Township solicitor.

1974

KIM DAVIS is employed by Trek-A-Matic, Ltd. of London. He conducts camping trips around the United States for foreign visitors.

WES FORSHIE and his wife, Sandra, announce the birth of a daughter, Enka Elaine, born March 26, 1979. Wes is currently working as purchasing agent for Van Houtte Tea Corporation in Old City, PA. This is the first time he has worked for the company. They are living in Old City, PA.

BARBARA HELMOWSKI HAINSWORTH has been promoted to the rank of Captain in the United States Marine Corps. She is in the Personnel Procurement Division and is the wife of Lt. Colonel John Hainsworth, USMC. She lives in Alexandria, VA.

JUDY HIXON is employed as a cataloger at BDO-Butterfield, Williamsport, PA.

WILLIAM LASHER received his MBA degree from Shippensburg State College on December 21, 1979. Bill has been employed as an accountant for AMP Inc., Harrisburg, and as an instructor at Jamestown Community College, Jamestown, NY.

ESTHER J. LEPLER and Charles Komet were married November 18, 1979, in the Allentown United Methodist Church, East Brunswick, NJ. SHERRY MACPHERSON was a bridesmaid. Esther is still employed at Rutgers Medical School in Piscataway.

NANCY LYNN has been living in Jacksonville, FL for almost two years. She has done some time there as a clerk-typist. She still has her black lab Leader Dog which she obtained just after graduating in 1974.

1975

STAN JACOBS and Holly Haug were married November 10, 1979, in the Door Fellowship, Williamsport. Stan is employed by Paul's Komet Market.

MARSHIA MILLS has resigned from the position of assistant district attorney in Reading, PA. She is currently employed by the County's public defender. She is living in Towanda, PA.

A son was born on December 17, 1979, to RUTH ROSENBERG-NAPARSTECK and Martin I. Naparstek. The son's name is David. David was born in 1977 and his co-author with Peter Harer, of *A Picture of Lycoming County, Vol. 2*, which is now being used as a textbook in the Williamsport Area School District. He is the author of *Wach Seng*, a novel that will be published in March by Tower Publications. They are living in Dallas, PA.

E. LYNN TAYLOR ROBERTS and her husband, Rick, enjoy the calm in the Harrisburg area. She is currently employed by the Harrisburg area editor for *The Patriot* in Harrisburg. Lynn is busy at home taking care of their two small children. David was born in 1977 and his little sister, Melissa Lynn, was born March 7, 1979, three weeks after the TVII accident. They live in New Cumberland.

DIAXANNE LYNN COPP and John B. McClanahan were married August 18, 1979, in the United Methodist Church of Corning, NY. She will be going to Beaverton, OR, where her husband has accepted a position with Teletronix Products, Inc., as a Hybrid Process Engineer. Roxanne was formerly employed with Corning Glass Works in the Reprographics Department. LISA SWEGART was Roxanne's maid of honor. SWEGART was Roxanne's maid of honor. SWEGART was Roxanne's maid of honor.

HAYDEN McLEAN has taken a position with Goodwill Industries in Lancaster, PA, as production supervisor. He is responsible for all production which is shipped to the United States. He is currently working on rehabilitation for clients in their extended program. He is living in Mountville, PA.

BETSY PARISHURST SHENDELL is office manager with Best Construction Company. She lives in Fort Lauderdale, FL. She was married to William Shendell on July 19, 1979, in Wilkes-Barre, PA.

ANTHONY TINO and KAREN MAREK '78 were married August 11, 1979, in Holy Cross Lutheran Church, St. James, NY. Anthony is working as a real estate investment salesman and insurance broker in Bloomfield, NJ. Karen is currently employed at U.S. Medical Center in Edison, NJ, as a medical technologist. They reside in Linden, NJ.

RUTH BUCKINGHAM and CHARLOTTE SCHULZ '76 are pleased to report that they have reestablished the days of the Rock 'n' Chuck at 114 Liberty St., Meriden, CT. Ruth works at the Home Bank and Charlie

works at the Home Club for Homemaker Services, so all can see they are quite at home. This is ending in July, however, when Ruthy marries Bruce Bennett of Williamstown, MA, and begins a whole new kind of life. Meanwhile, they do whatever comes to hand, and are quite adept at handling cockroaches, odd roommates, crazy stoves, growing kittens, and cars with bad engines. They report that "God has blessed them."

ANNA MARIE KOWAL is teaching in the Wren Snyder Elementary School in Bristol, PA. She also lives in Bristol.

RICHARD FUSARO and LINDA KRET were married September 19, 1979, at St. Bartholomew the Apostle in Scotch Plains, NJ. JOE SARANO was best man and KEVIN POPSON served as an usher. Bridesmaids were CATHY CARSON and SOPHIE PELOS '80. Rich is employed by Plessey Dynamics Corp. as a cost accountant. Linda works in the development lab of Borden Chemical. They are living in Edison, NJ.

STEPHEN MALIESKI and Barbara Barrieman were married June 16, 1979, in State College. Steve is a sales engineer with AMP, Inc., Harrisburg, PA. They are living in Patchogue, NY.

WILLIAM E. HAINES is employed by Lamont-Doherty Geological Observatory of Columbia University as a research assistant in physical oceanography. He has returned recently from his third scientific cruise aboard the R/V Robert Conrad from Halifax, N.S. to Bermuda doing physical oceanography. Bill has started taking courses at Columbia University relative to his work at the Observatory.

GREG AMMON is working at Fair Oaks, a psychiatric hospital. He lives in Summit, NJ.

WILLIAM D. BEASLEY has earned his B.S. degree in civil engineering at Penn State and is currently working for the Virginia Department of Highways as bridge engineer.

ROBERT DIACO and his parents have moved to Brunswick, ME. Bob has begun graduate studies in the department of molecular, cellular and developmental biology at Iowa State University.

MARTHA MATHISON has been re-hired by the Randolph Township School District, Randolph, NJ, and is currently teaching 7th and 8th grade Spanish. She is also completing her plans to spend the summer studying in Madrid, Spain.

KEITH R. MAY is a sales representative with Jack Donovan Company in St. Louis, MO.

NECROLOGY

1906 - EDITH PICKEN CAMPBELL, who had been living at Bethany Village, Mechanicsburg, PA, is now deceased. Word was received by the Alumni Office recently.

1912 - MARTHA SWEET HECKERMAN died on August 30, 1979. She had lived in Charleston Heights, SC.

1918 - KEITH W. ROBBINS died December 11, 1979, in the Williamsport Hospital. Keith was also a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Class of 1922, and was a civil engineer. He had been living in Williamsport and faithfully attended Alumni Day on the college campus each year.

1920 - FRANCES M. SHIPMAN who had lived in Berwick, PA, is deceased, according to a letter received recently. She had been supervisor of elementary music in the Northwest Area Joint School District, Shickahamy, PA, for many years.

1920 - EDWARD B. HILLS died October 2, 1979, in the extended care unit of the Lock Haven Hospital. He was the owner of the Dutch Inn, Mill Hall. He had owned the Inn for over 46 years. He retired in 1965 after 17 years as an English professor at Lock Haven State College.

1937 - HARRY D. EVENDEN died December 7, 1979. He had been living in Orchard Park, NY, and was employed in industrial relations with Bethlehem Steel Company, Buffalo. He was married to the former FRANCES GEIGER.

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Sears Foundation awards college \$900 grant

The Sears-Roebuck Foundation awarded a \$900 grant to Lycoming College on Jan. 8 that brought to \$23,500 the amount of money given to the college by the foundation over the years.

J. Robert Fahnestock, retired manager of the Sears, Roebuck and Company store at the Locomotiv Mall near Muncy and a college trustee, presented the check to Dr. Frederick E. Blumer, college president.

In presenting the check, Fahnestock reiterated that it can be used without restriction. He also provided information that indicated the grant was one of more than 122,000 distributed to 59 privately supported colleges and universities in Pennsylvania.

Lycoming is also among the more than 1,000 private accredited institutions across the country that will share Sears Foundation funds this year, according to Sears.



J. Robert Fahnestock presents check to Dr. Blumer

CHIP director appointed

Michael R. J. Felix, D., of Williamsport, has assumed the post of executive director of the Community Health Improvement Project (CHIP) launched on the college campus Feb. 4.

CHIP is a novel effort to reduce cardiovascular diseases in Lycoming County through preventive medicine. It is being operated out of the college's Institute of Community Health.

Felix is the former director of the West Branch Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission, located in Williamsport. He was employed by the commission for almost four years, serving as director since May, 1976.

As CHIP director, Felix is responsible for the planning, organization, coordination and implementation of the project. He will work as a college employee with the support of the Pennsylvania Department of Health, the University of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania State University and a community steering committee overseeing the project.

Felix holds a B.S. in health education from Cortland State University and an A.S. in community health from Corning Community College. Prior to joining the West Branch commission, he worked for a drug abuse

program in Bradford, Sullivan and Tioga Counties. Felix has been active in a number of state organizations and civic groups.



MICHAEL R. J. FELIX

FRANKLY SPEAKING by phil frank

..AND TO MY ALMA MATER, WHICH, DURING MY UNDERGRADUATE YEARS, SUPPORTED ME WITH GOOD ADVICE I LEAVE THIS BIT OF GOOD ADVICE.



Basketball: Cagers 10-7, hold 2nd place in MAC

Coach Dutch Burch's cagers, playing 19 of their last 12 games on the road, have managed to more than hold their own in compiling a 10-7 season record, including a 6-3 mark in the Middle Atlantic Conference Northern Division West Section. That mark has put the Warriors in second place behind nationally ranked Albright College.

The cagers' most recent wins have come over FDU-Madison, 61-57; Susquehanna, 41-39; Philadelphia Textile, 65-63; Elizabethtown, 47-40, and Wilkes, 65-60. Their last four losses have come to Albright, 95-69; Kings, 76-72; powerful Bucknell, 107-77, and Juniata in overtime, 46-44.

Senior co-captain Ray Graff, who became Lycoming's 11th 1,000-point scorer in the Bucknell clash, continues to lead the team in scoring with a 16 points per game average. If Graff maintains that pace the rest of the season, he will end up as Lycoming's seventh all-time leading scorer.

Sophomore Adam Zajac is the second leading scorer with a 15 points per game average. He is followed by junior Mark Dugan, the Warriors' scrappy point guard, who is scoring almost 10 points per game.

The Warriors' remaining seven games include four in friendly Hilltop Gymnasium, including a rematch with Elizabethtown on Feb. 16 that will be the final men's game ever to be played in the old structure. Lycoming will play its home games next year in the new Physical Education and Recreation Center being built just south of Hilltop Gym.

In addition to Elizabethtown, home games remaining include clashes with Albright, York and Delaware Valley. Away games include battles with Baptist Bible, Susquehanna and Navy—the regular-season closer. The MAC tourney is scheduled for Feb. 22-23.



RAY GHAFF... joins 1,000-point club

Wrestling: 6-6-1

Coach Budd Whitehill's wrestling team has compiled a 6-6-1 record in its first 13 dual meets, eight of which were against Division I colleges. The grapplers put together that mark despite a batch of early-season injuries and the loss of two defending Middle Atlantic Conference champions who are not wrestling this season.

Wins have come over Kings, 33-12; Rider, 24-20; Delaware Valley, 29-13; Mansfield, 47-0; Scranton, 26-7, and Virginia Commonwealth, 39-6. Losses have come to Pittsburgh, 34-18; Oswego State, 19-17; Franklin & Marshall, 29-14; Wilkes, 41-12; Princeton, 22-15, and Morgan State, 30-14. The tie was with Bucknell, 21-21.

Leading the way for the Warriors this season has been defending MAC champion and senior tri-captain Tim Spruill, who has won all 13 of his dual-meet matches; junior Chris Shaner, who has compiled a 10-1-1 mark, and senior tri-captain Ed Allen, who has won nine of 12 dual matches.

Dual meets remaining include away matches with Maryland and Western Maryland. The Warriors also will participate in a quadrangular meet at Elizabethtown with Lebanon Valley and Juniata. Whitehill's grapplers then will defend their MAC crown Feb. 23-24 at Susquehanna. Lycoming has won the title the past three seasons.

Women's Basketball: 4-4

With four of their remaining five games at home, Coach Deb Holmes' women cagers appear to have a strong chance of finishing with a winning record in only their second year of intercollegiate competition.

The women have split their first eight games, five of which were on the road. Their latest wins have come over Misericordia, 71-59, and Susquehanna, 65-49. Their latest losses have come to Delaware Valley, 62-60; powerful Scranton, 69-51, and powerhouse Elizabethtown, 101-41.

As it has all year, the team has been sparked by the play of junior co-captain Terry Rhian, freshmen standouts Sue Stamm, Heidi Rey and Carol Brackman, and sophomore playmaker Jan Aurand. Rhian, Stamm, Rey and Brackman each are averaging around 14 points per game in scoring. Aurand is scoring about six points per game while handing out a batch of assists.

The only remaining road game takes the Lady Warriors to Scranton for a rematch with the Lady Royals. Home games include battles with Juniata, Mansfield, Kings and Drew. The game with Drew on Feb. 26 will go down in the history books as the final basketball game ever to be played in Hilltop Gym.

Swimming: 1-4-1

Despite their 1-4-1 record, Coach Dave Hair's swimmers have continued to show the improvement this year that they showed last year in recording a 4-4 mark—the best in almost a decade.

The losses have come to several long-time swimming powers, including Rider in a tri-meet at Kings. The win has come over Elizabethtown, 51-48. The tie was with Wilkes, 52-52.

As Hair said early in the season, the team has had to rely on some strong individual performers because of lack of team depth. Two of his strongest swimmers have been Mark Fultz, who holds three Lycoming records in the freestyle events, and Bill Torney, one of the premier divers in the Middle Atlantic Conference.

Fultz has picked up eight first and four second places this season. Torney has won every diving event in dual-meet competition while picking up a first and two second places in the freestyle sprints.

Remaining meets include home matches with Susquehanna and Millersville State, a swimming power. An away match with Western Maryland closes the regular season. Hair's squad then will travel to Ursinus Feb. 21-23 for the MAC tournament.

College to offer trainer certification program

Beginning next academic year, students at Lycoming College can study to become athletic trainers while earning a four-year degree.

The non-credit program is designed primarily for education majors, according to Larry Mayes, the college's first full-time trainer. "A student who graduates from college with a degree in teaching and who is also a certified trainer not only has several career options to explore," he said, "but as a prospective teacher would have an added edge on the job market. Schools are always looking for someone who can perform more than one task and a lot of schools need trainers."

The object of the curriculum, Mayes said, "is to provide students with the proper in-class and practical training to become certified by the National Athletic Training Association, which is done through examination."

The program will address the medical and executive aspects of a trainer, he said. During a four-year period, students will be required to take courses in areas such as first aid and the kinesiology of sports, as well as business principles. "There is a lot more paper work involved as a trainer than one might expect," Mayes said.

The trainer is using his own guidelines to set up the program. Eventually, he would like to establish a specialization program in athletic training that operates on NATA guidelines. Mayes said the courses won't be easy because the test isn't easy. And getting students to pass the certification test is the program's objective, he said. "We won't really know how well we're doing until four years from now when our first students take the test," he said.

Athletic training is a good field for students who are interested and knowledgeable about sports, he said, but who may not be great athletes themselves.

